



Tirana, on 26/07/2021

Announcement

On the extension of the submission deadline for the Lead Managers expression of interest

Between July 07 to July 26th 2021, in the Ministry of Finance and Economy, acting as the representative of the Republic of Albania, in line with the Request for Proposal concerning the Lead Managers process, were submitted proposals by several banks to act as an underwriter of a potential bond issue by the Republic of Albania in the international market.

Pursuant to the Decision of Council of Ministers no.182 date 25/02/2015 “For determining the procedure for the selection of the Lead Manager and/or the lender for the realization of borrowing with financial instruments in the foreign market”, which regulates the selection process of Lead Managers, the Minister of Finance and Economy has decided to extend the deadline for submission of offers by banks until **September 7th, 2021, at 14.00 p.m.**, following requests for additional time from banks that are interested to participate in this procedure.

The physical offers submitted until the original deadline July 26, 2021 2 pm will remain unopened until the extended deadline as mentioned above.

The electronic version of the offers have to be submitted after the extended deadline (September 7th, 2021, after 2.00 pm)

Both versions of proposals have to be sent: to the following address:

Ministry of Finance and Economy of the Republic of Albania

“Dëshmorët e Kombit” Boulevard, No. 3; Tirana, Albania

For the attention of

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